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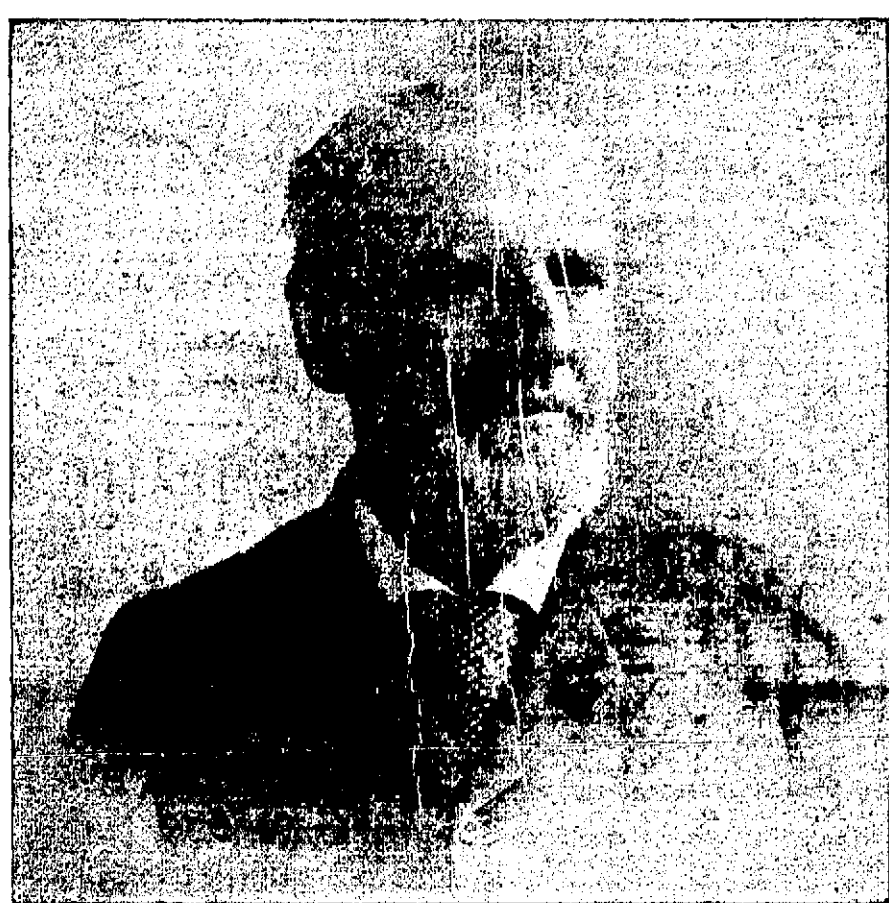
### Insurance Agents Banquet At The Wentworth.

Mr. Jones Makes An Ideal Host, As Usual. -- Over  
250 Representatives of the Granite State  
Fire Insurance Company There.

The tenth annual banquet by the Hon. Frank Jones to the agents of the Granite State Fire Insurance company of which he is president, was given at the palatial Wentworth at Newcastle on Tuesday evening, and added another glory to his long list of such affairs. It was in all respects an unqualified success and those who were fortunate enough to be present on this occasion cannot help but remembering it as one of the pleasantest events of their lives. Present were the representative men

these annual gatherings when the Hon. Frank Jones is host.

During the early evening Prof. Swanbourne's orchestra discoursed many fine selections, which were highly appreciated. At eight, to the strains of an inspiring march, the line was formed and headed by the Hon. Frank Jones all went to the grand dining hall, which was brilliantly lighted with a myriad of electric lights that brought out the rich colors of the room and showed the beautifully laid tables to

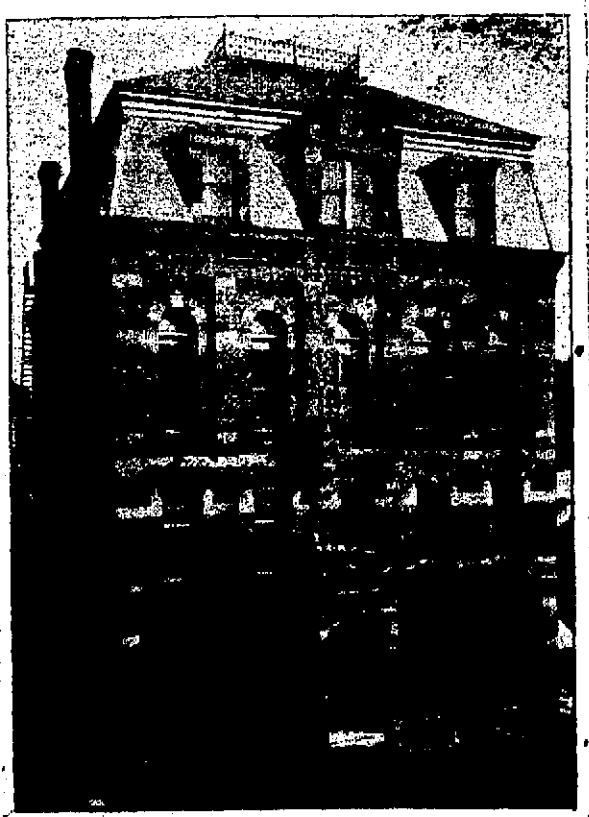


HON. FRANK JONES.

of New England, not only the agents of this fast-growing and ever-increasing company, but the leading citizens of New Hampshire and other states, both in business and politics. Col. A. F. Howard, the genial secretary of the company, had the entire arrangements in charge, and the finest watch work was never put together to produce more pleasing results than did this work of his, for the foresight in arrangements was seen in the completed whole. The great party gathered in this city on Tuesday and were conveyed to the Wentworth in carriages furnished by

great advantage. When all had gathered at their proper places the order of "Be seated, gentlemen," was complied with and there ensued a banquet which was served in a manner that called forth words of the highest commendation upon Manager Hill and his corps of able assistants. The menu was as follows:

Blue Points.  
Green Turtle, aux Queues.  
Concasse, Printaniere Royal.  
Celery.  
Queen Olives.  
Broiled Salmon Trout, Maitre d'Hotel.  
Cucumbers, Parisienne Potatoes, Tomatoes.



HOME OFFICE BUILDING.

the house and this was kept up until early evening, when there were over two hundred and fifty about the corridors, and until eight, when the line was formed for the banquet, everything moved with that systematic method that has always characterized the colonel's work.

Each year more and more enjoyment is found in these affairs by those who attend, for at no other gathering in the state are so many of the leading men brought together in congeniality as at

Filet of Beef, larded, Sauce Bearnaise.  
Stuffed Duckling, Apple Sauce.  
Creamed Potatoes. French Peas, saute.  
Sweetbread, Braise, aux Truffes.  
Lobster Sante, a la Newburg, on Toast.  
Frozen Tom and Jerry.  
Broiled Philadelphia Squab, on Toast.  
Lettuce Salad. Sweets.  
Marschchino Soufflee. Fruit Jelly.  
Assorted Cakes. Frozen Pudding.  
Fruit.  
Crackers and Cheese.  
Coffee.

At the tables for two hours the guests were seated, enjoying the good things thus provided, and amid a flow of wit renewed acquaintances of a year ago.

Many of the faces here last year were missed last night, none more, however, than that of the genial "Jule" Trask of Laconia, who, ever ready with wit and a flow of good fellowship, made himself one of the prominent entertainers about the corridors last year. Many of the guests expressed regrets at his absence.

Many of the guests will remain through today and see the sights about the city.

The post prandial exercises were interesting. Col. A. F. Howard acted as toastmaster and introduced Col. John C. Linehan, state insurance commissioner, as the first speaker.

Col. Linehan dwelt chiefly on the valid policy which was put through the legislature through the efforts of the Hon. Frank Jones, and spoke with high appreciation of Mr. Jones. He also gave figures showing the strength of the Granite State Fire Insurance company. In the fourteen years of its existence its agents have written policies amounting to \$475,353,879 and paid in premiums \$6,611,377. It has done more business in New Hampshire than any other company. Col. Linehan also told a number of his clever stories in his usual inimitable manner.

Col. Daniel Hall followed, and referred in very complimentary words to Mr. Jones.

Maj. George Merrill, ex-insurance commissioner of Massachusetts, said the three elements primarily essential to a prospering company are, an honest man at the head, which is found in Mr. Jones; a faithful and efficient executive, such as Col. Howard, and a band of smart and loyal agents, which the Granite State company certainly has.

Other speakers were: Dr. J. A. Greene, Col. Thomas Cogswell, Mayor Calvin Page of this city, Gen. Stephen Gale, Col. E. N. Elwell, Col. Thomas Cheney, Col. John O. Lyford and Col. Stephen S. Jewett.

All spoke in warm praise of Mr. Jones.

The members of the Empire Stock company, now filling a week's engagement at Music hall, brought the evening's enjoyment to a close by giving a fine programme of specialties in the amusement hall. The members of the company were given the heartiest of applause.

The following is a list of those in attendance:

New Hampshire agents--K E Dearborn, Ira A Chase, Bristol; Fred H Wheeler, Berlin Falls; J H Stevens, Dunham; E B Huse, Enfield; Hon Edward G Leach, Franklin; Hon George W Cummings, Franconstown; C H Pitman, Farmington; A R Evans, Gorham; Herbert J Taft, Greenville; J E Dewey, Lebanon; C H Eagerly, J A Sheehan, Wm G Berry, Manchester; J H Griffin, Newmarket; J H Wilkinson, Newfields; C J Ayer, Plymouth; George C Gordon, H L Gordon, Salem; M L Sarge t, Sunapee; Fred M Sise, George D Marey, John G Tobey, Jr, Portsmouth; George F Andrews, George N. Andrews, A J McKean, Frank A Andrews, Nashua; Fred T Pollard, Newport; George D Barrett, Dover; J G Bartlett, Suncook; O Morrill, L C Morrill, Concord; A D Tolles, E A Leighon, Somersworth; W G Buxton, H B Sherburne, Penacook; A S Parshley, Rochester; A B Johnson, East Wear; Col John render, Portsmouth; W C Hills, Andam.

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Cook, Dover; Emil Schab, Boston correspondent of Insurance Press of New York; C W Willis, Boston correspondent of The Spectator; J F M Lyons, Ins Editor of Boston Daily Globe; Wallace High, Home-Journal, R W Ransom, Standard, C D Belcher, The Standard, Boston; Hon Gordon Woodbury, Manchester; George H Moses, Concord Monitor, Concord.

Invited Guests--Hon Charles A Busch, Laconia; Gen R N Batchelder, Manchester; Hon James S Merrill, Lawrence; Hon John C Linahan, Captain Samuel N Brown, Hon James G Lyford, Hon Thomas Cogswell, Concord; John E Leavitt, Col M C Foye, Joan E Dimick, Gustave Peyser, George B Wallace, Dr W O Jenkins, Portsmouth; J W Warner, North Hampton; John Torrey,

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#### CITY BRIEFS

According to the almanac, fall officially commences today.

September is giving delightful days and charming moonlight evenings.

Today and tomorrow are the days of the Hebrew Feast of the Tabernacles.

The hunters are pleased with the frost as it will cause the leaves to fall.

Is this this summer, last summer, or next summer, or just plain Indian summer?

There is a prospect that the high school will have a strong football team this season.

Peter Longhlin of Dover Point shipped 17,000 brick to Portsmouth, by rail, Saturday.

Interest in bowling is increasing and many close and exciting games are bowled nightly at the alleys.

"David Harnum" continues to be the book most in demand at the public library, and the person who succeeds in getting it is lucky.

Very few partridges have been shot in the neighborhood of Portsmouth this season, but this is not discouraging, as it is not quite time for them.

Travel to the mountain is quite heavy. Many people are annual visitors to that section during the last of September and the first of October, believing it to be the most delightful period of the year at the mountains.

#### THAT MILK SYNDICATE.

In regard to the new gigantic syndicate which proposed to handle the entire milk business of Boston, beginning Oct. 1, but which went about the undertaking in such a strange way that many of its dealings looked very queer, the New England Farmer, a conservative agricultural paper, says: "The failure of the new syndicate to so arrange its proposed business as to be able to take milk on October first will be somewhat of a disappointment to the many farmers who expected an immediate increase in price of four cents per can for their milk."

It will be remembered that the company promised farmers that it would take all their milk from Oct. 1 at an advance of four cents per can, and collected \$2 from each man on the strength of this promise. Now it looks as though the farmers might wait indefinitely for their higher price.

#### EASTMAN MAY ENTER RACE.

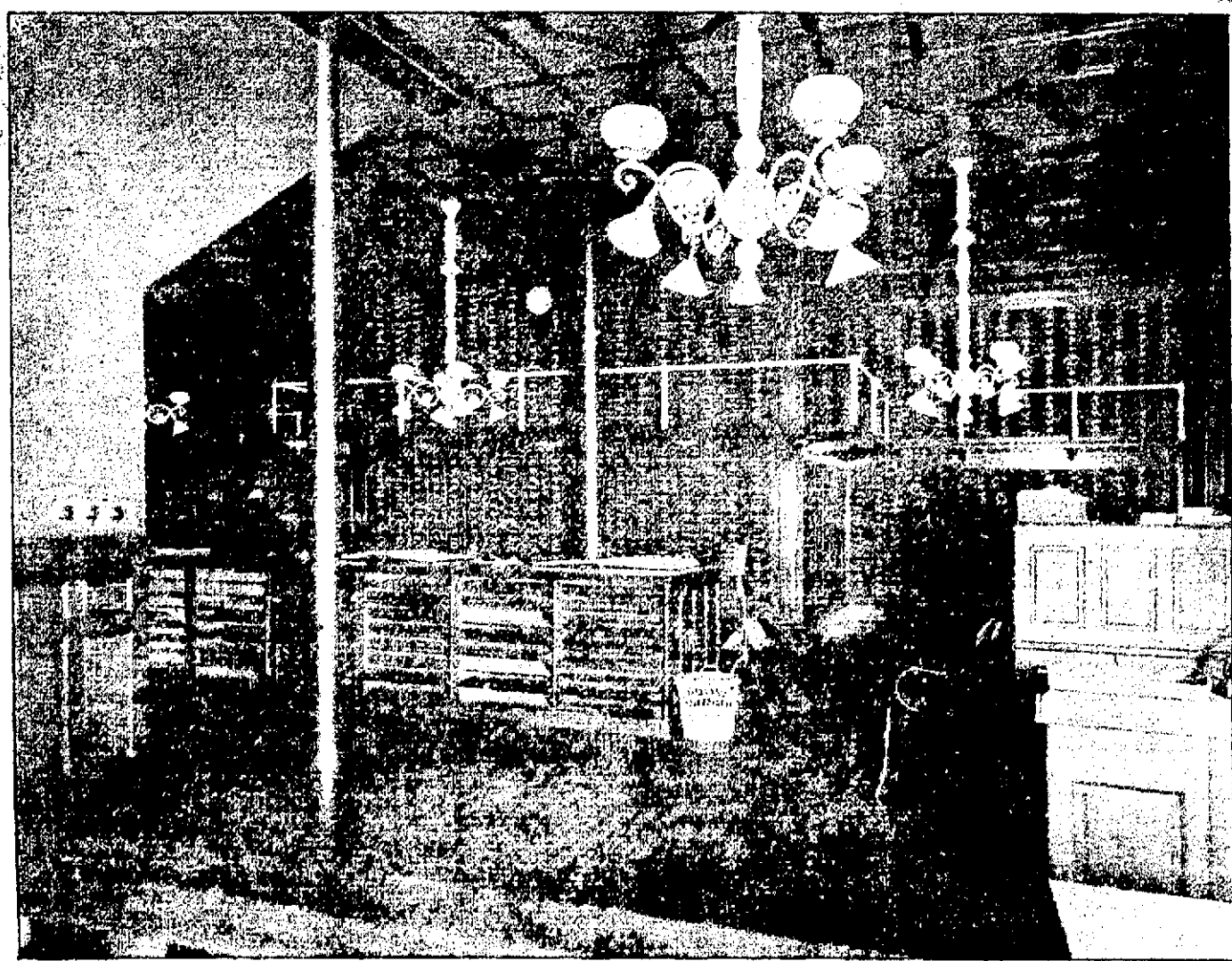
For the past few days much has been said in regard to the senatorial situation, this interest in the matter being awakened by an agitator who names as a possible successor to Senator Chandler, Attorney-General Edwin G. Eastman of Exeter.

It is not known that Mr. Eastman will actually enter the race, but it is generally felt that if such is the case he will prove a hard candidate to defeat. At present he himself will have little to say concerning the matter, and when asked if he intended to be a candidate he replied that he could not tell at present, that many names were mentioned for the office already.

#### NO RIGHT TO UGLINESS.

The woman who is lovely in face, form, and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nervous, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, and a charming complexion. It will make a great thing charming women of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at Globe Drug Co.

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WHERE THE BANQUET WAS HELD.

Newspaper Men--F W Hartford, Richard McDonough, correspondent of Boston Herald, Bert M Tilton, C A Richmond, Manchester Union, C Edwin Tilton, W H Moore, L W Brewster, Walter Leroy Fogg, Justin Shaw, George H Sanderson, Portsmouth; Col C H Wells, Somersworth; John Seales, Willard F


Charles E. Almy, Portsmouth; Joseph W. Pierce, Dover; R L Walden, Portsmouth; Hon. Jeremiah Langley, Durham; William A. Plummer, O. W. Tebbetts, Laconia; H. C. Hopkins, Portsmouth; Nowell C. Trickey, Lynn, Mass.; George M. Thompson, Wakefield; O. K. Morgan, Northampton,

cord; Hon Chas T Means, Manchester; Hon Perry Dow, Manchester; F G Elliot, Bellows Falls; G A Olsendam, Manchester; Phy Director Edward Bellows, U S N, J A Corey, J E Hoxie, H Fisher Eldredge, Calvin Page, Civil Engineer, J E Gregory, John S Tilton, Portsmouth; Hon Thomas B Cheney, Ash-









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It is not up in cases of two dozen pints.

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## RENEWED ACTIVITY AGAINST THE FILIPINOS.

Denby and Worcester, of the Philippines Commission, have sailed for Manila on their homeward journey. Will Present an Elaborate Report to Congress.

Manila, Sept. 19.—The monitor Monterey and the gunboat Concord have sailed for Subig Bay to assist the cruiser Charleston in reducing the Filipino works there, a task which will be prosecuted until all the vigor possible as soon as the ships arrive. The sailing took a landing party of 300 marines.

Col. Denby and Prof. Worcester, of the Philippines Commission, have sailed for home. All the attaches of the Commission remain here. Col. Denby said they expected to return, as their work would not be finished until peaceful relations with the Filipinos had been re-established, and civil government had taken the place of military rule.

Since Prof. Schurman left, Messrs. Denby and Worcester have been continuing to assist the military authorities in the establishment of local governments. They have also continued the work of collecting material concerning the resources of the islands, their government by the Spanish and whatever other points are likely to be of service to the Americans in providing a permanent form of administration. The commission has the views of many prominent Filipinos and is prepared to submit an exhaustive report to Congress.

**Tariff Not Overcrowded.**

Washington, Sept. 19.—Col. Charles Bird in charge of the transportation for the army, says that many complaints have been made about the capacity of the transport tariff, which was detailed in Hong Kong on a complaint of overcrowding. A despatch from Quartermaster Long, at San Francisco, gives an account of the equipment of the steamship, and shows what precautions are taken regarding the inspection of the transports. He says:

The British chartered transport Tarrar sailed from Hong Kong on the 17th inst. and carried 1,221 men and 45 officers, and 1,161 enlisted men and 45 civilians, total, 1,221, being 118 less than full capacity. Each person carried, including crew, was provided with life preservers, besides there were many extra aboard."

**Thinks Campaign Will Be Short.**

San Francisco, Sept. 19.—Major S. R. Jones, U. S. A., who has been quartermaster at Manila ever since that city was captured by the Americans, was a passenger on the Cord, which has just arrived from Hong Kong and Yokohama via Honolulu. He will report to Washington.

When Major Jones left Manila a forward movement in the rain and mud was being made against the insurgents. He is of the opinion that 50,000 men will have to be kept on the island of Luzon for ten years, in order to keep the peace, but that the actual fighting will not last six weeks, when that number of Americans have been landed at Manila.

**The Hooker Will Be Saved.**

Washington, Sept. 19.—The government has decided to save the cable ship Hooker, which is on a reef at Corregidor Island. The cost of repairing the ship so that she can be taken to Cavite will be \$75,000 Mexican, and to remove her cargo, \$24,000 Mexican. It is estimated that she is worth more than \$200,000.

The cargo to be saved is valued at more than \$100,000 and consists principally of cable for use of the signal corps in the Philippines, together with other telegraphic and signal corps supplies.

**Total Receipts in the Philippines.**

Washington, Sept. 19.—The War Department has made the statement that the total receipts of the Philippine Islands for the month of July were \$732,845.55, divided as follows: Customs receipts at Manila, \$391,147; customs receipts at Iloilo, \$22,111; customs receipts at Cebu, \$31,043; internal revenue receipts, \$106,226. The remaining receipts consist of provost court fines, water rents, market and slaughter house receipts, etc.

**Tanner's Niece Fatally Injured.**

French Lick, Ind., Sept. 19.—Mrs. Alexander Wilson and daughter of Blue River, Ind., were thrown from a carriage and Miss Wilson was fatally hurt. The other occupants were also badly hurt. Miss Wilson is niece of Governor Tanner of Illinois.

**Gage Goes to Arizona.**

Washington, D. C., Sept. 19.—Secretary and Mrs. Gage have left Washington for Arizona by way of Chicago. While in Arizona the secretary and his wife will make a trip to the Grand Canon of the Colorado. They will return in time to meet the President and party in Chicago on Oct. 9.

**\$90,000 Fire in Indiana.**

New Albany, Ind., Sept. 19.—Fire destroyed a tenement house at Vincennes and Beeler streets, owned by the DePauw estate, and the DePauw Memorial Church adjoining. The loss was about \$90,000.

**No Arrests Made.**

Cartersville, Ill., Sept. 19.—No arrests have been made in the discovery of the identity of the white men who did the killing of the negro miners in a riot on Sunday.

# HERE'S WHAT'S WANTED.

**A Citizen of Portsmouth Supplies the Information.**

Over half the complaints of mauling originate with the kidneys. A slight touch of backache at first. Twinges and shooting pains in the loins follow. They must be checked, they lead to graver complications. The sufferer seeks relief. Plasters are tried, and blisters for the back. So called kidney cures which do not cure. The long looked for result seems unattainable. If you suffer, do you want relief? Follow the plan adopted by this Portsmouth citizen.

Mr. A. A. Shea, of No. 2 Langdon street, says:—"I had kidney trouble occasionally for two years or more. Whenever I contracted a cold or did any lifting, bad spells would come on me. I did not have much backache. It was the kidney secretions that distressed and annoyed me. While in pretty bad shape I was induced by the printed testimonial appearing in the papers to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial, and I went to Philbrick's pharmacy in the Franklin block and procured a box. After I stopped using them I felt no inconvenience from urinary difficulty. The lameness had gone with it. I consider this a good recommendation for Doan's Kidney Pills."

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## MAY CORNER WHEAT AGAIN.

**P. D. Armour Said to Be Interested in the Big Deal.**

Chicago, Sept. 19.—P. D. Armour, head of the Beef Trust, is named as the backer of a new attempt to corner the wheat market of the United States. Armour, it will be remembered, posed as the friend of "Joe" Leiter when that young Napoleon of wheat met his Waterloo, but his friendship cost the elder Leiter several millions of dollars and left young Leiter much the worse for wear.

The Weare Commission Company of this city, is engineering the new deal. Charles A. Weare, the president, and Portus B. Weare, the vice-president, are the leaders in the big scheme. For some time the Weares have been filling their elevators from the bins of Armour. He held the bulk of the visible supply, having brought it on to Chicago when he made a show of coming to Joe Leiter's aid. The Weares have been buying September and selling December wheat. In August, December wheat went to two and a half cents over September, and if they can get the bulk of cash wheat in their hands these gentlemen will have engineered a "spread" which will hurt both ways.

Nobody can tell where the price will go, and the men under contract to deliver visible wheat when that becomes cash wheat are shaking in their shoes already. It is believed that Armour is really sincere in his backing of the present deal. But he is not apt to take any chances. Mr. Armour has had personal experience with corners and knows, to his cost, that they are very hard things to get out of with profit.

**Shamrock Has Narrow Escape.**

Highlands, N. J., Sept. 19.—Shamrock had a close call just as she crossed the finishing line heading for home after her trial spin of thirty miles. An immediate column of water shot high in the air not over 150 yards off her port bow. A big shot from one of the 12-inch guns under test on the Government proving-grounds on Sandy Hook was fired and struck the water in such close proximity to Sir Thomas Lipton's green hull pride that the sailors aboard of her shouted in a chorus of alarm.

The spray from the tower of water fell on the deck of the Shamrock, splashing the faces of some of the astonished seamen.

The shot had travelled between three and four miles, but had lost none of its force when it dropped near the Shamrock. This shot was followed by several others, but they did not fall near the cup-hunter.

**Accede to Strikers' Demands.**

New York, Sept. 19.—Between 500 and 600 carpenters who were on strike gathered at Bohemia Hall, 337 East Seventy-third street where President George Barry and Secretary T. H. Walsh of the carpenters' organization, were receiving reports. The men demanded \$22 a week and only forty-four hours' work. It was reported that 268 of the 400 or more employers had acceded to the demands of the men.

**Laborer Won an Heiress.**

Port Washington, Wis., Sept. 19.—James McCracken, of Ohio, a day laborer, has eloped with Edith, the beautiful daughter of Mayor Mueller, who is the richest man in this section of the state. Edith is sole heir to her father's fortune and she has been forgiven. The father will set McCracken up in business.

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# CHINA CALLS A HALT

**SAYS WE VIOLATE INTERNATIONAL LAW.**

Protests Against the Exclusion of Her Subjects in the Philippines. The Military Phases of the Matter Have Been Referred to Secretary Root.

Washington, Sept. 19.—The Imperial Chinese Government, through its Minister here, Wu Ting Fang, has lodged with the State Department an emphatic protest against the military order of General Otis, excluding Chinese from the Philippines. Neither the State Department nor the Chinese Legation will give any information concerning the protest, but from entirely trustworthy quarters it is learned that it insists that General Otis's action is contrary to international law, in violation of existing treaties, and in complete disregard of the friendly relations which so long have been maintained between the two countries.

The matter was brought promptly to the attention of the President, as the protest was of such a character as to give the subject an international aspect, considerably beyond the purely military questions involved. It is said that the Chinese Legation has welcomed the recent advent of the United States into the affairs of the Far East and has hoped that this step would prove a further bond and would extend the relations between the two countries, particularly in their neighboring possessions.

Among the specific points of protest is one to the effect that such an order is a departure from the announced purpose of the President to maintain the present status of affairs in the Philippines until Congress has determined a permanent condition.

The military phases of the question have been referred to Secretary Root. General Otis's order was issued some time ago, without direction from Washington, and apparently as a military necessity, although the Chinese protest urges that there is no such military necessity, but, on the contrary, that the Chinese have given valuable military assistance.

General Otis's order says: "The laws of the United States which prohibit the entrance of Chinese will be enforced here."

The decree excepts such Chinese as previously have lived in the Philippines, and who hold certificates showing this fact. It also excepts Chinese officials, travelers, etc., excepted under the treaty between the United States and China.

Provision is made for registering the Chinese in the Philippines, and their deportation to China in case of failure to register. A few Chinese other than those now in the Philippines come within the exceptions, the effect of the decree is to make the exclusion practically absolute.

It is understood the Chinese Government awaits the outcome of this protest with much apprehension. It is pointed out that the Chinese have been established long in the Philippines, and that a considerable branch of the industry of the islands is conducted by them, and that this complete termination of a long-established communication between China and the Philippines injures these people materially.

The Chinese protest is said to be couched in most dignified and courteous terms, but to be so pointed that no doubt is left as to the umbrage the Chinese Government has taken at this order of General Otis.

**A Modest Hero.**

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 19.—Flag Lieutenant Thomas M. Brumby of the Olympia has written a letter to some of his friends in Georgia earnestly requesting that they will abandon their intentions of giving him a reception on his arrival in New York. The flag lieutenant is a Georgian, and the prominence which he has achieved has been a source of much gratification to citizens all over the state.

A popular subscription has been made up for the purpose of giving to him a sword, and it was the intention to make the presentation at a demonstration in New York. This letter, however, alters the plan. Mr. Brumby points out that Admiral Dewey should receive all the honors of the occasion, and that such an ovation would detract from the glory due to the hero. On this account he begs his friends to defer any special attention to him until his arrival in Georgia, as otherwise he will be embarrassed.

**Tom Reed at Work.**

New York, Sept. 19.—Thomas B. Reed, ex-speaker of the House of Representatives has arrived in the city and taken up his new position with the legal firm of Simpson, Thatcher & Barnum. There has been a lot of work cut out for this new member of the firm and it is rumored among those who profess to know, that Mr. Reed will act as counsel for the steel and iron trust for which Simpson, Thatcher & Barnum have acted as legal advisers since its inception.

**Angel Dancers in Trouble.**

Hackensack, N. J., Sept. 19.—It is rumored here that the Grand Jury had found an indictment against the "Angel Dancers." It was said that Huntman T. Mson, Garry Storms, John McClintock and the Storms woman had been indicted upon the charges preferred against them. Mrs. Lamb and the other witnesses were before the Grand Jury and the case took up most of the sitting. If the indictment has been found the trials probably will be moved next week.

**Can't Play Ball Sundays.**

Valparaiso, Ind., Sept. 19.—President Brown, of Northern Indiana Normal School, has announced that no student hereafter would be allowed to play ball on Sunday or an expulsion would be the consequence. The local club has several members who are students at the school, and the edict caused them to import Chicago players.

# ODD FELLOWS AT DETROIT.

**The Seventy-Fifth Annual Meeting Largely Attended.**

Detroit, Sept. 19.—Sovereign grand encampment officials and various other functionaries of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows walked to the opening session of the seventy-fifth annual meeting of the order through a drenching rain. They were escorted from headquarters, the Hotel Cadillac, to the Detroit Opera House, where public reception exercises were conducted by the military authorities. Members of the order present in the city. Arrived in front of the theatre, the patriarchs militant stood in line with swords at present, while 300 unbrella-bearing sovereign and state officers, delegates to the sovereign grand lodge and to the Michigan grand lodge filed past in pairs and entered.

The proceedings were opened with orchestral music. Greetings were extended by Col. O. A. Jones, chairman of the general local committee, Mayor Maybury, for the city and state; Col. E. H. Sellers, grand master, representing the Michigan grand lodge; Robert Donovan, grand patriarch of the Michigan grand encampment; Brigadier C. S. Martin, department commander of Michigan patriarchs' militant, and by Mrs. Emma Haskin, president of Rebekah assembly.

**Headquarters to Remain in Chicago**

Chicago, Sept. 19.—Chicago will be the working centre of the Democratic National Committee in the campaign in preparation for the next presidential election. This was decided at a meeting of the Executive Committee, thus settling definitely rumors that the headquarters would be changed. J. G. Johnson of Kansas will have charge of the work. Those present at the conference were former Governor Stone, J. G. Johnson, J. M. Head of Tennessee, George Fred Williams of Massachusetts, J. M. Guffey of Pennsylvania and J. B. O'Brien of Minnesota.

The Ways and Means Committee was called together by John R. McLean, and the matter of financing the campaign was discussed. The Press Committee also was convened by Mr. Johnson. Members of the Press Committee were not disposed to discuss probabilities. It is thought probable that the press arrangements for Chicago will be changed, using the attitude of the local papers in the last campaign as a basis for reorganization.

**Mended the Broken Neck.**

New York, Sept. 19.—Walter A. Duryea, son of a wealthy starch manufacturer of Glen Cove, L. I., will probably live, after being in danger of death for many weeks. The parts of the fifth and sixth vertebrae, which were fractured by a dive in shallow water at Oyster Bay, on August 7, have been extracted at Roosevelt Hospital in the presence of several eminent physicians. The fracture completely paralyzed the young man. The physicians give it as their opinion that Duryea will now fully recover.

**Widow Will Get Insurance.**

Trenton, N. J., Sept. 19.—An opinion filed in the Court of Chancery dismissed the suit brought by the First National Bank of Albany Park against Evelyn White, widow of Washington White. The husband died owing the bank \$3,700, and it sought to get part of a \$10,000 life insurance. The bank asserted the premiums were paid with money which belonged to White's creditors, but it was shown that Mrs. White paid them out of her own income.

**Alleged Mail Robbers Arrested.**

Marietta, Ohio, Sept. 19.—Deputy United States Marshal W. T. Harness has arrived here from Benwood, Monroe County, with Spencer Wood, who is charged with cutting a mail sack and robbing it of registered packages. It is charged that he gave the mail carrier, William Dillon, \$2 to allow him to take the sack. Dillon also is in jail on the same charge.

**Life Sentence for a Murderer.**

Savannah, Ga., Sept. 19.—The jury in the case against Edward and Malinda Delegal, charged with being implicated in the murder of Deputy Sheriff Townsend at Darien, found Edward Delegal guilty, and Malinda Delegal was acquitted. Edward received a sentence of life imprisonment, being the same punishment imposed upon his brother a few days ago.

**Chased Him With a Shotgun.**

Bellefontaine, Ohio, Sept. 19.—Frank North, of Lakeview, was arrested here charged with criminally assaulting Lottie E. Step, 15 years of age. Her father, deceased, North, through the streets of Lakeview with a double-barrelled shotgun, and the officers had great difficulty in disarming the enraged parent.

**Refuse to Divulge His Name.**

Des Moines, Iowa, Sept. 19.—A man sent to Mt. Pleasant Hospital from Des Moines proves to be a chemist known on two continents. He was released and given a position in the college, but the hospital authorities respect his wishes for secrecy and refuse to give his name.

**Soldier Sick With Smallpox.**

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 19.—Much excitement has been created at the Presidio by a case of smallpox which was discovered in the barracks of the Presidio Hospital. The victim is a private in the Thirty-first United States Volunteers, whose name the hospital authorities refuse to divulge.

**Craig Badly Beaten.**

Coney Island, N. Y., Sept. 19.—Tommy Ryan defeated Frank Craig, the "Harlem Coffee Cooler," here in the eleventh round. The fight was stopped by the referee to prevent Craig from being knocked out. The defeated man was fearfully punished and was no match for Ryan.

**Key West in Fever's Grip.**

Key West, Sept. 19.—Fifty-four new cases of yellow fever have been reported in the last forty-eight hours and three deaths, making a total number of cases to date of 362, and seven deaths.

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What the general staff of the French army needs worse than anything else is a liberal application of disinfectants.

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America's farm products this year will realize just about \$1,000,000,000. This is precisely the figure for a billion-dollar country.

If the stringency in the money market continues much longer Uncle Sam may conclude to import a few tons of gold from Europe. It is there. It belongs to him. And when he needs it all he has to do is to order it home.

Aginaldo assures his followers that "some states of the American union have already risen in our favor." This information doubtless reached the Filipino leader in private cablegrams from Mr. Atkinson of Boston, and Mr. Leutz of Ohio.

Gov. Tanner, of Illinois, says he will stop the rioting in that state. The trouble with him, however, is that he thinks he can do it by issuing an executive proclamation—which is much like trying to cure a boil upon one's hand by fanning it with a palm leaf.

There is nothing more pathetic in American politics at this time than the spectacle of Col. Henry Waterson begging the democratic party not to make a fool of itself on the question of expansion. The colonel, however, ought to realize that the poor old democracy simply can't help it.

Those visionary persons who are still imagining that Uncle George Dewey can be cajoled into accepting the democratic nomination for president are guilty of a double offense. That is to say, they are deliberately insulting the intelligence of the returning admiral and causing untold mental anguish to Mr. William Jennings Bryan.

Now that Statesman Bailey, of Texas, has resolved to hurl his vast and vociferous voice into the Kentucky campaign, the cheap little backwoods feudists of the Blue Grass commonwealth had better crawl into their caves and keep quiet. There will be no business for the ten-cent side shows as long as Professor Bailey is performing in the big tent.

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### THE NEW KEARSARGE.

The appearance of the new Kearsarge in New York harbor Sunday—though not yet in commission—has given rise to a hope that she will be permitted to figure in the Dewey naval parade. If such an arrangement can be made, the effect will be most felicitous. The Kearsarge represents a realization of the latest advancement of the American battleship—beastliest of all our marine fighting machines. It exhibits features unknown to our navy so recently as the day of Dewey's great achievement in Manila bay. In the coming reception it would not only be an object of acute popular interest, but would furnish a significant token of the rapidity of our naval development. By all means give us the Kearsarge.

### DRYFUS' PARDON CAUSES NO EXCITEMENT.

PARIS, Sept. 19.—The decision of the cabinet to pardon Captain Dreyfus created no more interest in Paris than would "yacht" from a horse race. In fact, it may be asserted that it has caused no excitement whatever. There has been no unusual crowd in front of the office of the Libre Parole, where crowds usually gather in the evening to gaze upon the huge illuminated transparencies. Outside of the window of the leading Anti-Semite organization there is not the slightest gathering or the slightest sign of disorder, either for or against Dreyfus.

### ENGLAND PLAYING A WAITING GAME.

PRETORIA, Sept. 19.—The reply of the government to the latest British note is variously commented upon, but the Pretoria Press, printed in English and Dutch, and other papers, profess to believe that a joint commission will be held and that there is still a possibility of an understanding being reached. The Volksraad, as a matter of urgency, today referred the new draft law providing for the confiscation of property of persons found guilty of treason to a special committee for consideration and report. At the request of President Kruger the chamber then went into secret session.

### ENGLISH CABINET CALLED IN COUNCIL.

LONDON, Sept. 19.—Summons have been issued late this afternoon for a cabinet council, which it is understood will be held on Friday. The lack of any excitement in official circles bears evidence of the deliberate manner in which the highest officials are handling the crisis. Nor is it by any means certain that the cabinet council will adopt extreme measures in spite of the uncompromising nature of the Boers' reply. This deliberation on the part of the government is interpreted not only in London, but in other European capitals, as a desire on the part of Great Britain to gain time while transports are hurrying to Cape Colony.

### CLYDE STEAMER ASHORE.

CASQUE ISLAND, MASS., Sept. 19.—The Clyde line steamer Cherokee, from Jacksonville to Boston with a cargo of miscellaneous freight and six passengers, went ashore on the southeast end of Nauset island in Vineyard sound shortly after noon today in a dense fog, leaving a large hole in her bottom. Her after compartments are free from water, but hold No. 2 is full, and the extent of the damage cannot be ascertained until she is floated. Her passengers were landed safely.

### ADMIRAL MONTOJO BEING TRIED.

MADRID, Sept. 19.—The trial of Admiral Montojo, formerly chief commander of the Spanish naval forces in the Philippines, which surrendered to Admiral Dewey after their destruction, began here today. The prosecution demands imprisonment for life, with dismissal from the service. The defence will be presented tomorrow.

### WILL FIGHT OCTOBER 27TH.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—The heavy weight championship fight between Tom Sharkey and Jim Jeffries will take place on Oct. 27th instead of the 23d. This was decided upon at a meeting held today between Wm. A. Brady and Tom O'Rourke, the managers of the two fighters.

### EAGLE AND YANKEE MUST BE COMPLETED BY OCTOBER 17TH.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The navy department has directed that the Eagle and Yankee be completed at the Portsmouth navy yard by October 17th, as they are needed for survey work about Cuba and Porto Rico and will thus be employed all winter.

### CONTRACT FOR DRY DOCK AWARDED.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The navy department has announced that the contract for building the Portsmouth, N. H., dock, one of the largest structures of the kind, to John Peirce of New York, at \$1,080,000.

### WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Forecast for New England: Rain, cooler Wednesday; rain Thursday, except in extreme western portions, fresh southerly shifting to westerly winds.

### MCCOY WINS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Kid McCoy defeated Steve O'Donnell tonight in the sixth round of a boxing contest, in the arena of the Broadway Athletic club.

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### BASE BALL.

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Brooklyn 2, Chicago 4; at Brooklyn.  
New York 2, St. Louis 13; called in the eighth inning on account of darkness; at New York.  
Boston 9, Pittsburgh 5; at Boston.  
The Philadelphia-Louisville and Baltimore-Cincinnati games were postponed on account of rain.

### THE CABINET WON'T BE THERE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—John D. Long, secretary of the navy, has written to the Dewey reception committee declining his invitation to be present. His declination completes the list of cabinet officers who have declined.

### GUERIN SURRENDERS.

PARIS, Sept. 19.—M. Guerin has surrendered.

### THATCHER'S MINSTRELS.

George Thatcher was formerly of Thatcher, Proctor and West, and his visits to any city are always accounted pleasurable events to the world of amusements. He has endeared himself to thousands of theatre goers by reason of the many clever characterizations he has contributed to the minstrel and comedy stage of America. Characterizations by the way, that have always been carefully drawn and delicately, as well as artistically, handled by this excellent artist, whose followers have come to know that any minstrel performance to which he contributes his unique personality will be presented



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in a painstaking and praiseworthy manner. Therefore it is not extraordinary that the announcements which have been made during the past week relative to his forthcoming appearance at Music hall next Monday night with George Thatcher's Greatest Minstrels, are received with more than ordinary enthusiasm. The company in its entirety is a strong one throughout, and numbers about forty people, including their own special band and orchestra. The end chairs of the first part will be presided over by the following comedians: Billy Martin, Chris, Green, Tommie Niblo, Jimmie Riley, C. W. Held, Ed. Stockwell and Dan Waldron and Geo. Thatcher, the last two taking the principal parts of the second edition.

### HIS LIFE WAS SAVED.

Mr J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo. lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with Typhoid fever, that ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected soon to die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all Throat and Lung Trouble. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Globe Grocery Co.'s drug stores every bottle guaranteed.

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### MATTER SETTLED.

New Hampshire Brigade to be Represented in New York.

After much uncertainty it has been finally decided that the New Hampshire militia will be represented in New York at the Dewey celebration.

They will not go as a brigade, but all of the Manchester companies will attend and possibly one company each from Nashua and Milford. The Manchester battalion, consisting of companies B. F. K. H. C. and L., will all go and possibly some of the battery.

Through the efforts of Captain Bodwell, who went to New York some time ago to make arrangements for the brigade going, and she has since been in correspondence with the authorities there, the men will be provided for during their stay in the city.

They will have the accommodations as would have been provided for the brigade. Maj. Gen. Charles F. Roe has telegraphed Captain Bodwell to that effect and quarters will be provided for the men with \$1 per day for subsistence.

The battalion will not go as escort to the governor, as was contemplated if the whole brigade went, as there will be enough of them to make sufficient showing, but will go simply to take part in the parade. Rates have been secured by which the actual expense for each man will be \$5.85 for the round trip.

Special cars will be attached to the train leaving for Boston at 11:06 Thursday, Sept. 23. From Boston, the New York, New Haven and Hartford road will be taken to Providence and there the troops will embark on the steamer Richard Peck for New York.

It is expected that they will arrive in New York about 6 o'clock Friday morning and they will have an opportunity to see the great naval parade which will take part in the street parade and will leave for home Saturday evening. The trip will be made under the management of Charles D. Lund of Nashua.

### IN TROUBLE AGAIN.

The police station looked like a military hospital, early on Tuesday evening, as two men who had been arrested were having their scalps sewed up.

At about 6:15, Henry Farrington, of Haverhill, a former resident of Newburyport, and John J. Clark of Amesbury, both old enough to know better, got into a drunken fight on Merrimac street, near the foot of Unicorn street. Farrington is an old offender, and a younger and stronger man than Clark and got the better of him. Clark was thrown onto the pavement and striking his head on the street railroad rail suffered a cut on the back of the head an inch and a half long. Clark's mouth and face were badly bruised, and some of the witnesses of the fight said that Farrington kicked him in the face. City Marshal Lattime and Sergeant Tate went to the scene of action and arrested both men, having to summon citizens to their aid as Farrington undertook to fight against being arrested, and having no coat on he tore his shirtleeve off in his efforts to get away from Officer Tate. The marshal tapped him with his billy and his scalp was cut by the blow.

Clark was brought into the station insensible.

Mrs. Day and Pillsbury were summoned and took stitches in each of their heads, Farrington talking all the while of his ability to do a policeman up even though he should have to serve seven years in Charlestown prison.

Farrington is wanted by the Haverhill police for a similar offence.—Newburyport Herald.

Farrington has been in this city several times. He put in nine months in the county jail here for an assault case and for six weeks up to Monday was employed at Stoddard's stable on Vaughan street, where he got into trouble and threatened those there to such an extent that the police were called.

Assistant Marshal West and Officer Blair placed him under arrest. At the station he was given a chance to leave to go, which he took and got out of the place early yesterday morning.

### TAKE OFF YOUR HATS.

The "Smoker" in the Path Independent knows how to reach his fair readers. He notes that it is in the audiences of the cheapest shows that most women keep their hats on and then he goes on to say: "However, the Smoker was not long ago at a very good entertainment in Columbia when a big hat on a woman's head in front of him completely prevented his seeing any thing on the stage unless he rubbernecked around that hat. It wasn't much of a hat, either! The wings were long and the ribbons rusty. So there!"

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Attention—Alarming Situation  
Venezuela.

Washington, Sept. 19.—The expected  
at by friends of Rear-Admiral  
y against compelling him to obey  
of the Navy Department to  
command of the South Atlantic  
Station has been made directly  
resident McKinley by four sen-  
ators of Schley. They are Senator  
ington, Gov. Lowndes, of Mary-  
land, Mayor McGraw, of Baltimore,  
Gen. Felix Aguirre, the proprietor  
of a Baltimore American. Each of  
made a short speech to Mr. Mc-  
Kinley, telling him Schley should have  
his desirable assignment. They  
said that the people of the country  
bathed the idea that Schley was  
receiving fair treatment, and sug-  
gested that his assignment to the  
Atlantic station be changed to  
something which would be more ac-  
cording to Schley and would remove  
impression. They said that they  
felt that from Admiral Schley  
they had not seen or heard  
since his orders were issued.  
President told the delegation  
he did not want the people to get  
impression that Rear-Admiral  
y was being ill treated by the  
Department, and did not think  
a statement was justified, but he  
said to look into the matter.  
Senator Wellington declared some  
one that Maryland would be lost  
Republican party if Schley were  
re-entire better by the Administra-  
tion and other members of the  
House were asked, after they left  
White House, if they had said  
anything like that to the President.  
They evaded, but it is fair to  
say from what they did say, that  
of Wellington told the President  
cally what he had said in news-  
papers about the effect of the Schley  
in the political situation in Mary-  
land.

### The Situation Serious.

Washington, Sept. 19.—A cable mes-  
sage received at the Navy Department  
San Juan, P. R., says that the  
H has sailed from that place for  
Venezuela.  
United States Minister Loomis is  
ing his departure from Washing-  
ton because of the gravity of the  
ion in Venezuela. He left Wash-  
ington and will take the first ship  
from that city for Vene-  
zuela, which will not later than  
lay next. The minister regards  
the situation as critical if the news-  
reports of the insurgent suc-  
cesses are accurate.  
town of Maracaibo, where the  
insurgents are reported to be, is  
about eighty miles distant from  
the capital.  
Orders have been issued to the  
H, now at Gibara, Cuba, to  
sail to Venezuela, but it is prob-  
able it will be needed soon at  
Cabo, which is reported here  
to have fallen into the hands of the  
rebels.

### Ignored Garfield's Memory.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 19.—The  
ry of the martyred president,  
A. Garfield, was honored here  
idea Gate Park. Orations were  
held by United States Senator  
C. Perkins and Representative  
John Kahn. Brief remarks were  
made by E. M. Galvin, president  
day; City Treasurer I. J. Tra-  
nor and Mayor Gen. Shafter. U. S. A.  
was a parade, the participating  
izations being G. A. R. posts,  
s from the battleship Iowa, a de-  
ment of the First California Regi-  
United States Volunteers, and  
is civic societies.

### Trous Fire at Farnham, N. Y.

Albany, N. Y., Sept. 19.—Almost  
the business section of this vil-  
lage was destroyed by fire, which  
in Louis Schwartz's barn. A  
vative estimate places the loss  
\$9,000. Among the buildings de-  
stroyed were the Erie Preserving  
any's canning factory, the Na-  
Hotel, the Caul House, Brink-  
department store, Schwert's  
are store, and about thirty resi-  
dences.

### Ing Mules for War Purposes.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 19.—An agent  
of the British government is negoti-  
ating with a local firm that deals ex-  
clusively in horses and mules for the  
use of 1,000 pack mules for use  
in Africa. The deal remains  
because of the question of de-  
livery, the Englishman demanding im-  
mediate shipment, while the firm asks  
to be paid in advance.

### Age Licenses Will Come High.

St. O. T., Sept. 19.—A telephone  
call from a telephone operator says  
the Chicagoans lawmakers are at  
on a bill to provide for the in-  
crease of the price of Chicagoan mar-  
riage licenses from \$50 to \$100,  
a measure was before the legisla-  
ture last winter, and was defeated,  
but proposed to raise the license  
to \$500 instead of \$100.

### Texas Gets Good Rainfall.

San Antonio, Tex., Sept. 19.—The first  
rain in north Texas since  
Sept. 15, is falling. The rainfall ex-  
ceeds the normal amount for the  
month. Good rains fell  
to Denison. Good rains fell  
east, central and southwest  
and light rains are reported in  
the west Texas. There is  
of water for stock and wells.

### No Quarantine in Arizona.

Phoenix, Ariz., Sept. 19.—Acting  
Governor Akers says: "I do not be-  
lieve Arizona has any reason to fol-  
low in the proposed quaran-  
tine against consumptives. The cli-  
mate is too dry to fear contagion."

# ON THE FRONTIER.

Arrival of Murders of War for the  
Transvaal.

London, Sept. 19.—The Cape Town  
correspondent of the Daily Mail says:  
"The United States Consul in Cape  
Town has gone to Bloemfontein, at  
the request of the Government of the  
Orange Free State to confer regard-  
ing the crisis. The Orange Free State  
Executive is anxious to secure Ameri-  
can intervention."  
"Boer spies infest the border towns.  
Two thousand troops will be dispatched  
to Kimberley within a week. Five  
hundred have already started, and  
others will go forward at once."

London, Sept. 19.—A despatch from  
Natal to the Central News says that  
the arrival of the South Atlantic  
station has been made directly  
resident McKinley by four sen-  
ators of Schley. They are Senator  
ington, Gov. Lowndes, of Mary-  
land, Mayor McGraw, of Baltimore,  
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something which would be more ac-  
cording to Schley and would remove  
impression. They said that they  
felt that from Admiral Schley  
they had not seen or heard  
since his orders were issued.

A despatch to the Times from Jo-  
hannesburg says it is stated that an  
early coup is contemplated. Large  
quantities of forage have been for-  
warded toward Natal border, and  
this is taken to indicate a move on the  
part of the troops to that quarter. The  
agents of the Transvaal Government  
are buying horses freely.

The Colonial office give out the fol-  
lowing as the official version of Presi-  
dent Kruger's reply to the latest propo-  
sals made by Great Britain:

After acknowledging the receipt of  
Secretary Chamberlain's despatch the  
President replied that the Government  
wishes to state that it has any state  
feeling of deep regret that it must be  
understood that Her Majesty's Govern-  
ment understood that Her Majesty's Govern-  
ment in your letter of Aug. 23 and ac-  
cepted by this Government, and sub-  
stitutes in its place an entirely new  
proposal.

"The proposal which has now lapsed  
was contained in the letters of this  
Government of Aug. 19 and Aug. 21,  
and was introduced by the English  
Ambassador to the State's Attorney of  
the Transvaal. These suggestions were  
accepted by the Government in good  
faith, on express request, which was  
equivalent to an assurance that the  
proposal would be acceptable to Her  
Majesty's Government. It was in no  
way the object of this Government,  
either then or now, to make any state  
less recalcitrant of its contention  
about its political status as an inde-  
pendent State, as defined in the Lon-  
don convention of 1884, but only to  
try to put an end to the state of ten-  
sion by meeting Her Majesty's Gov-  
ernment upon a proposal which it sup-  
posed to be constituted, both in spirit  
and form, in such a way as it was  
given to understand to be satisfactory  
to Her Majesty's Government. This  
Government cannot disguise from it-  
self that in making the proposals con-  
tained in its note of Aug. 19, it not  
only ran the danger of being dis-  
credited by the South African Repub-  
lic, Volksraad and people, but its ac-  
ceptance might affect the independ-  
ence of the State by as therein pro-  
posed, giving an immediate vote in  
the Legislature to a large number of  
impugning Uitlanders. But it set  
against that the continuous threaten-  
ing and undoubted danger to its high-  
ly prized independence, arising from  
the claim of suzerainty made by Her  
Majesty's Government in the internal  
affairs of this Republic, and from  
want of an automatically-working  
mechanism of regulating the differences  
between Her Majesty's Government  
and this Government, and was in con-  
sequence prepared to recommend to  
the South African Republic, Volks-  
raad and the people, to run the danger  
attached to the offer made in order to  
avoid the certainty of greater danger."

### Darnell Discharged.

Camden, N. J., Sept. 19.—Eugene E.  
Darnell, who was arrested on a charge  
of having been in the Zane house on  
the night Mrs. Zane and her daughter,  
Mrs. Shaw, were shot and killed, has  
been discharged from custody.  
The arrest followed the publication  
of an alleged confession of El Shaw,  
who was tried once for the murder of  
his mother and once for the murder of  
his grandmother. This confession was  
denied by Shaw. There was a big  
crowd in the courtroom when the case  
was called. Prosecutor Jenkins in-  
vestigated the allegations and refused to  
have anything to do with the case.  
There was nothing against Darnell,  
and in dismissing from custody Jus-  
tice Finley said:  
"I find there is not a scintilla of evi-  
dence against you, Mr. Darnell, and I  
honorably discharge you."  
Darnell says he will sue for damages  
and also prosecute criminally.

### French Conspirators.

Paris, Sept. 19.—The Senate met as  
a High Court of Justice for the pur-  
pose of trying twenty-two politicians,  
including De Moncourt, Berolande  
Marcel-Labret, Thiebaut, Baron de  
Vaux and Jules Guerin, on the charge  
of conspiring against the Government.  
The Prosecutor General, M. Bernard,  
and the long indictment, and the Sen-  
ate entered into secret session to dis-  
cuss the indictment and determine the  
questions relating to the preliminary in-  
quiry which is to be ordered.

### A Volunteer Suicide.

Vancouver, Sept. 19.—J. N. Waldron,  
who was an enlisted man of Company  
E, Thirty-fifth Infantry, U. S. V.,  
committed suicide at the Hotel Colum-  
bia by taking poison. Waldron failed  
to pass a physical examination and  
would have been given his discharge.

### Fire Frightened Her to Death.

Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 19.—Mrs. A.  
Quackenbush died at her home in Can-  
non street of an attack of heart fail-  
ure occasioned by fright. She saw  
her son's house, next door, burn-  
ing. She had been in perfect health.

### An American Ship Burned.

London, Sept. 19.—The ship George  
Stetson of Bath, Me., owned by  
Arthur Sewall & Co., Captain Patten,  
from Portland, Me., June 17, for Taku,  
China, has been burned at Loo Choo.  
No lives were lost.

### The Steamer Merrimack Floated.

Haverhill, Mass., Sept. 19.—The  
steamer Merrimack, which ran on  
the rocks in the Merrimack river two  
weeks ago, has been floated.

# THE HANDCUFF KING

A MAGICIAN UNLOCKS THEM WITH-  
OUT KEYS.

He Does Many Other Strange Things  
But Says It Is All a Trick—Why  
an Amateur Should Never Bet on  
Another Man's Tricks.

"Whenever any of these alleged spiri-  
tual mediums tell you that they have  
supernatural aid in freeing themselves  
from handcuffs and rope bonds, you  
may safely set them down as frauds.  
The handcuff trick is merely a matter  
of sleight-of-hand. I'll show you how  
it is done."

Houdini, the European magician,  
who is well-known "king of the hand-  
cuffs," was giving an impromptu per-  
formance in the Chicago Inter-Ocean  
office for the amusement of the editor-  
ial staff. Taking a pair of the latest  
make of handcuffs, guaranteed by the  
maker to be absolutely safe as a bond  
for the retention of criminals  
Houdini placed his hands behind his  
back and had them locked together by  
an Inter-Ocean man, the latter retain-  
ing the key. Standing a few feet away,  
but in full view of the audience, he  
freed himself from the iron cuffs in less  
than three minutes. It was impos-  
sible under the circumstances, that  
there should be any deceit in the per-  
formance.

"Mediums do the handcuff trick some-  
what after the same manner that I do,"  
said Houdini, as he wriggled him-  
self loose. "But they are not quite so  
deft at it. I have practiced the trick  
for years. It is simply a matter of dex-  
terity, and there is nothing supernat-  
ural about it, no matter what the me-  
diums may claim. I have a standing  
offer of \$100 for any pair of handcuffs  
I cannot get out of without the use  
of a key in less than five minutes,  
and, although dozens of police officers  
have tried to earn the money, none of  
them have succeeded. My method is  
more ingenious than that followed by  
most mediums, as many of them use  
keys while concealed in their dark cabi-  
nets, while my work is done in full  
view of spectators. I call it a trick,  
and that's all it is, but everybody who  
sees it is willing to admit it is one of  
the dearest ever presented."

"While I was at San Francisco a  
smart man conceived the idea that I  
must have a key concealed about my  
person, and induced the Examiner to  
brand me as a fraud. I went to the  
Examiner's office, just as I have come  
to the Inter-Ocean, and said:  
"Produce your handcuffs, any make  
you like, strip me naked, make sure  
that I have no key concealed, and I  
will forfeit \$100 if I am not free from  
the handcuffs in five minutes."

"My offer was accepted. I went  
through the test to the satisfaction of  
the Examiner's staff, and the following  
Sunday that paper made the announ-  
cement by withdrawing the charge  
of fraud, and devoted an entire page  
to an illustrated article on the perfor-  
mance."

Houdini's next act was one that is  
attempted by only one other person in  
the world. He is known as the "needle  
king" and is at present performing in  
Europe. Houdini first drank part of a  
glass of water, to show that his mouth

was empty, and then had the specta-  
tors look into his throat to see that  
nothing was concealed there. He next  
swallowed some thirty sewing needles,  
taking them into his mouth five or six  
at a time. Following this he appar-  
ently swallows a piece of sewing silk a  
yard or more in length. A second later  
he draws out the needles neatly thread-  
ed on the silk.

"Looks wonderful, doesn't it?" he  
asked. "Well, it's just a trick. I'm not  
going to tell you how to do it. That's  
my trade secret. But it's a trick just  
the same. If I can deceive you people  
standing right here in contact with me,  
how much easier it is for me to deceive  
spectators when I am on the stage  
twenty feet or so away from them?"

One of Houdini's favorite tricks for  
the edification of newspaper men is an  
expose of the three-card monte game.  
Taking two aces, one of hearts and one  
of diamonds, and the queen of spades,  
he throws them slowly, as if trying to  
let the onlooker catch sight of the win-  
ning cards. The regulation tramp in  
white is there, and the picking of the  
desired pastboard seems to be an  
easy task. When the card is lifted,  
however, it is seen to be the wrong one.  
Not only this, but the spectator is al-  
lowed to point out the other two cards  
in succession, and neither of them is  
the queen.

"Ah, you fooled me," says the spec-  
tator. "There is no queen in the lot.  
They are all aces. You slipped the  
queen away when my attention was  
diverted."

"You think so?" says Houdini with a  
smile. "Watch close. I'll throw the  
three cards so. Now, which is the ace?  
Remember, you said just now that they  
were all aces."

The spectator indicates a card. It  
is turned over and found to be the  
queen of hearts. Like a flash, before  
the watchers have recovered from their  
surprise, Houdini makes another pass  
and the queens have all disappeared,  
and in their place are three aces of di-  
amonds.

"All of which," says the magician,  
"should warn an amateur not to wager  
money on cards when they are manip-  
ulated. A clever man can do anything  
but make them talk."

Baroness Hirsch's charitable be-  
quests are published in the Jewish  
Chronicle. They amount to \$2,350,000.

### THE HANDCUFF KING

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# IN THE TRENCHES.

How Those of the Spaniards Differed  
From the Americans.

The general run of Spanish trenches  
differed from the American, in being  
narrower and deeper. The trenches on  
San Juan Hill, when the Americans  
captured it, were about shoulder high,  
and hardly room enough for a man to  
stand up in. They were very shallow,  
made to stand up in only. For long  
distance firing and not too long  
watches they answered the purpose ad-  
mirably. A Spaniard could lean against  
the rear wall of his trench and fire  
from that easy position with right  
shoulder supported against the bank  
and his left foot well braced against  
the forward wall; or for closer work,  
he could lean forward on the front  
bank and fire with ease and comfort.

When the Americans took possession  
of these trenches they generally put  
them to use. Besides this, they put  
bags of earth on the banks near San-  
tajo to add to their defensive strength.  
The American trenches were gener-  
ally wide but not deep. A lying-down  
position was the idea in the minds of  
the Americans. Trenches were there-  
fore dug so as to afford room to stretch  
at full length, with head to the enemy.  
As a man was not supposed to stand  
up, but to fire lying or kneeling down,  
the Americans dug trenches somewhat  
shallow, just wide enough to allow a  
man to sit down, back to the Santajo  
wall and have his head protected. The  
floor sloped slightly. Gunnybags  
filled with straw or hay were placed  
front and back, and round about, for  
additional protection. The men poked  
their rifles through the crevices be-  
tween the bags and fired with much  
greater deliberation because head and  
shoulders were better protected than be-  
fore. A Mauer bullet would go through  
twelve inches of hard wood and kill a  
man on the other side and get lost in  
one of these bags. The Spaniard, on  
the other hand, would catch it and de-  
flect it, so that it would not go through  
a bag or bank of earth, and hurt any-  
body. The Spanish trenches nearest  
the city were more like the American,  
being wide and not deep. This, how-  
ever, was probably not so much owing  
to Spanish ideas as to the local con-  
ditions. The Spaniards simply took  
things as they found them, such as  
reads already in existence.

The long trenches occupied by the  
Second and Twentieth Infantry and  
the Ninth Massachusetts Volunteers on  
the left flank of the line, was a natural  
glitch, once the bed of a tributary of  
the San Juan River. There were thick  
bushes in front of the greater length  
of it. The work there was compara-  
tively light. They had only to shovel  
in earth for cross embankments and  
slightly level up the floor to be well  
dug. Some of the regulars dug special  
deep crosscuts for their own par-

### AS A SAILOR SAW IT

HE WAS IN THE MANILA FIGHT WITH  
DEWEY.

A Carpenter's Mate of the Cruiser  
Charles Tench How the Victory  
Was Won—Entirely in the Men's  
At the Guns.

The first intimation that any of the  
men in the Asiatic squadron had of in-  
pending trouble came on the day after  
the arrival of the fleet in Hong Kong.  
Commodore Dewey called for a general  
assembly of commanders on the flag-  
ship, and that always opens the eyes  
of the jacks to the fact that there is  
something in the wind. The next day  
the men were all put over the side  
with paint pots, and within twenty-  
four hours the vessels of the fleet were  
in their war gear, and the sailors knew  
that at last they were in for serious  
business. The sailors were delighted  
at the prospect of a fight, and worked  
with great enthusiasm to get the ships  
into fighting condition.

Boats were sent ashore, bulkheads  
were torn out, and all superfluous  
woodwork was removed from the in-  
terior of the warships. Some of the men  
toward the last, as it became evident  
that we were bent on fighting, became  
so excited that they could hardly con-  
tain themselves. Patriotic songs re-  
sounded all day long from the forecas-  
tles of the different ships, and they  
were not checked by the officers, either.  
Even the apprentice boys were anxious  
to get a chance at the Spaniards.

When the men were in the ships, we  
driven near the entrance of Manila  
Bay word of our destination and what  
we might expect to find there was cir-  
culated among the men. Lights were  
masked, and as the ships drew nearer  
to the entrance of the bay singing and  
loud talking were forbidden on the  
warships. The squadron slowed down  
as we neared the mouth of the harbor.

For the men, who of course  
did not know what was in the minds  
of the officers, thought that the fleet  
was going to anchor. There was conse-  
quently much speculation as to whether  
the Commodore was going to enter  
the bay or stay outside, in the hope  
that the Spaniards would come out and  
attack us. The latter theory was the  
one most commonly accepted by the  
men, as some of the sailors in the ships  
had been in Manila Bay in times of  
peace and knew how strong its natural  
defenses were. It made little differ-  
ence to the men, however, which  
course the Commodore adopted, as we  
were not much in doubt as to the out-  
come of a fight.

"I ain't very particular how this  
blooming show is managed," one little  
Englishman in our ship said, "so long  
as I get a blooming whack at one of  
them blooming Dons. The only way to  
get them buggers to stand is to get  
their vessels up against the side of a  
rock, so that they can't run away."

And it turned out that was practi-  
cally what we did. We got the word  
from the watch officer at 3 o'clock in  
the morning of the fight to keep our-  
selves ready for a call. The dim out-  
lines of the shore of the islands could  
be seen over our quarter even then,  
and although the men off watch were  
privileged to sleep, I for one felt more  
like sitting up and thinking. By 4:30  
the ships had approached to within  
about ten miles of the mouth of the  
harbor, and men were piped to quar-  
ters. I shall never forget the magnifi-  
cent spectacle the fleet presented when  
I first came on deck.

As the men stood in their positions  
on board our ship there was scarcely  
one who spoke. Every man kept his  
eye riveted on the harbor entrance. The  
hush was so intense that the sound of  
the entrance to the harbor was in-  
tense.

"Will they spot us?" was the ques-  
tion on every one's tongue. After we  
had got well into the mouth of the har-  
bor in the wake of the Olympia and  
the other vessels of the squadron, a  
single flash of flame darted from the  
side of the battery on our port side.  
The shock of the explosion which fol-  
lowed was so entirely unexpected that  
most of the men gave a start. Time  
after time the forts fired upon us, but  
our commanders held their fire, obey-  
ing instructions from the Commodore  
until the signal, "Engage the enemy!"  
was finally made on the Olympia, and  
the gunners turned themselves loose.

The men down in the magazines, real-  
izing that silence was no longer neces-  
sary, broke out into sailor songs as  
they pulled up shells. The men at the  
guns could hardly be kept behind the  
shields, so intense was their enthusi-  
asm.

In about half an hour's time we had  
passed into the bay and were safe from  
the projectiles from the forts at the  
entrance to the harbor. It was now  
broad daylight, and down along the  
wall which bounds the river front of  
the city of Manila the Spanish ships  
could be seen strung out in single  
column formation.

We continued our course up the har-  
bor, steaming to bell, the ships of the  
squadron proceeding in single file. The  
flagship led the column, and as soon as  
the vessels had closed up along the line  
to the fighting distance they headed for  
the Spanish fleet. The Olympia opened  
with her full battery, and they other  
ships followed in turn as they stepped  
aboard of the first ship in the Spanish  
column. The Spaniards got right to  
work at their guns, and during the  
first round gave us shot for shot. Their  
marksmanship was very poor, how-  
ever, and not one of their shells, so  
far as I saw, came anywhere near hit-  
ting us. The men on our ships by this  
time had got their stride and settled  
down to business. When the Olympia  
made the signal to cease firing for  
the first round, the men were very  
much disappointed.

"Why, we've only just got at them!"  
We were all glad enough to get a cup  
of coffee, however, and when we  
steamed back into the firing line, we  
saw the Spanish ships break into flame,  
we knew that the day was ours. After  
the fight, when we had once more with-  
drawn to our former position up the  
bay, the sailors on the different ships  
cheered for hours. It seemed as if the  
men could scarcely find time to sleep,  
so busy were they in cheering the dif-  
ferent ships' boats as they passed to  
and fro from the Olympia.

Shepard said that every man, with-  
out exception, now on the Asiatic  
squadron would follow Dewey and his  
officers to the world's end if the Ad-  
miral set the signal.

THE TORCH TO POWDER.  
Touch a lighted torch to the  
contents of a powder mill and  
up it goes. But it isn't the torch  
that blows up the mill, it's the pow-  
der. The latter is all ready to ex-  
plode. It only  
needs one touch  
to start it all  
up. When the  
blow is all ripe  
and ready for  
discharge it only  
needs a little touch  
to start him going.  
Maybe he gets a  
slight cold, gets  
wet feet or sits in a draft;  
then off he goes into a gal-  
loping consumption.

But isn't the draft that  
does it; that only starts him. His blood  
was all ready for it in the first place. It  
was thick with bilious poisons, and with  
ferment of disease all ready to be roused into  
fatal activity at the least touch.

"My wife had a severe attack of pleurisy and  
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bridge, Greene Co., Ill., in a thankful letter to  
Dr. R. V. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y. "The doctors  
gave her up to die. She commenced taking Dr.  
Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and she im-  
proved from the first dose. By the third she  
had taken eight or ten bottles she was cured,  
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sold here. I think the 'Golden Medical Discovery'  
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wonderful medicine in the world, but for  
every form of weakness and debility. It  
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# AS A SAILOR SAW IT

HE WAS IN THE MANILA FIGHT WITH  
DEWEY.

A Carpenter's Mate of the Cruiser  
Charles Tench How the Victory  
Was Won—Entirely in the Men's  
At the Guns.

The first intimation that any of the  
men in the Asiatic squadron had of in-  
pending trouble came on the day after  
the arrival of the fleet in Hong Kong.  
Commodore Dewey called for a general  
assembly of commanders on the flag-  
ship, and that always opens the eyes  
of the jacks to the fact that there is  
something in the wind. The next day  
the men were all put over the side  
with paint pots, and within twenty-  
four hours the vessels of the fleet were  
in their war gear, and the sailors knew  
that at last they were in for serious  
business. The sailors were delighted  
at the prospect of a fight, and worked  
with great enthusiasm to get the ships  
into fighting condition.

Boats were sent ashore, bulkheads  
were torn out, and all superfluous  
woodwork was removed from the in-  
terior of the warships. Some of the men  
toward the last, as it became evident  
that we were bent on fighting, became  
so excited that they could hardly con-  
tain themselves. Patriotic songs re-  
sounded all day long from the forecas-  
tles of the different ships, and they  
were not checked by the officers, either.  
Even the apprentice boys were anxious  
to get a chance at the Spaniards.

When the men were in the ships, we  
driven near the entrance of Manila  
Bay word of our destination and what  
we might expect to find there was cir-  
culated among the men. Lights were  
masked, and as the ships drew nearer  
to the entrance of the bay singing and  
loud talking were forbidden on the  
warships. The squadron slowed down  
as we neared the mouth of the harbor.

For the men, who of course  
did not know what was in the minds  
of the officers, thought that the fleet  
was going to anchor. There was conse-  
quently much speculation as to whether  
the Commodore was going to enter  
the bay or stay outside, in the hope  
that the Spaniards would come out and  
attack us. The latter theory was the  
one most commonly accepted by the  
men, as some of the sailors in the ships  
had been in Manila Bay in times of  
peace and knew how strong its natural  
defenses were. It made little differ-  
ence to the men, however, which  
course the Commodore adopted, as we  
were not much in doubt as to the out-  
come of a fight.

"I ain't very particular how this  
blooming show is managed," one little  
Englishman in our ship said, "so long  
as I get a blooming whack at one of  
them blooming Dons. The only way to  
get them buggers to stand is to get  
their vessels up against the side of a  
rock, so that they can't run away."

And it turned out that was practi-  
cally what we did. We got the word  
from the watch officer at 3 o'clock in  
the morning of the fight to keep our-  
selves ready for a call. The dim out-  
lines of the shore of the islands could  
be seen over our quarter even then,  
and although the men off watch were  
privileged to sleep, I for one felt more  
like sitting up and thinking. By 4:30  
the ships had approached to within  
about ten miles of the mouth of the  
harbor, and men were piped to quar-  
ters. I shall never forget the magnifi-  
cent spectacle the fleet presented when  
I first came on deck.

As the men stood in their positions  
on board our ship there was scarcely  
one who spoke. Every man kept his  
eye riveted on the harbor entrance. The  
hush was so intense that the sound of  
the entrance to the harbor was in-  
tense.

"Will they spot us?" was the ques-  
tion on every one's tongue. After we  
had got well into the mouth of the har-  
bor in the wake of the Olympia and  
the other vessels of the squadron, a  
single flash of flame darted from the  
side of the battery on our port side.  
The shock of the explosion which fol-  
lowed was so entirely unexpected that  
most of the men gave a start. Time  
after time the forts fired upon us, but  
our commanders held their fire, obey-  
ing instructions from the Commodore  
until the signal, "Engage the enemy!"  
was finally made on the Olympia, and  
the gunners turned themselves loose.

The men down in the magazines, real-  
izing that silence was no longer neces-  
sary, broke out into sailor songs as  
they pulled up shells. The men at the  
guns could hardly be kept behind the  
shields, so intense was their enthusi-  
asm.

In about half an hour's time we had  
passed into the bay and were safe from  
the projectiles from the forts at the  
entrance to the harbor. It was now  
broad daylight, and down along the  
wall which bounds the river front of  
the city of Manila the Spanish ships  
could be seen strung out in single  
column formation.

We continued our course up the har-  
bor, steaming to bell, the ships of the  
squadron proceeding in single file. The  
flagship led the column, and as soon as  
the vessels had closed up along the line  
to the fighting distance they headed for  
the Spanish fleet. The Olympia opened  
with her full battery, and they other  
ships followed in turn as



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## THE HERALD.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 20, 1899.

### HEART OF THE KLONDIKE.

Another big audience crowded Music hall on Tuesday evening to witness the sensational melodrama, "Heart of the Klondike," by the Empire Stock company, playing here this week. The play affords full scope for some really fine acting and judging from the applause, which was most generous and spontaneous during the evening, the cast was most satisfactory throughout. Mr. Joseph Greene as "Silver Joe," splendidly sustained the character of the adventurous and lucky miner and the supporting company left nothing to be desired. Miss Suzanne Willey as "Olga" was delightfully vivacious and fascinating, and was evidently in rapport with the audience, which gave her the glad hand from her first entrance on the stage. The company is evenly balanced throughout and one of the best playing week stands seen on the New England circuit for a long time.

The specialties introduced by Emery and Nodine, Archie Deacon, Grace Euler, Mamie Moore and Fred Carozzo, were exceedingly good and merited the applause which was so liberally bestowed.

At the matinee this afternoon will be given the great play, "The Stowaway," and this evening the great sensational play, "The Burglar."

### NAVAL ORDERS.

The navy department has assigned Capt. E. S. Houston, now at the Washington navy yard, to command the monitor Amphitrite. He will relieve Captain C. J. Barclay, who will be placed on waiting orders. The change will occur on Oct. 2.

Lieut. Commander V. L. Cottman, Lieut. H. G. Leopold, G. Taibov, and J. A. McCally, Ensign D. M. Wood, Assistant Surgeon M. V. Stone and Assistant Paymaster C. W. Pentose have been ordered detached from the collier Brutus and assigned to duty on the Asiatic station. The Brutus is at San Luis d'Apra, Island of Guam, where she will remain until her coal supply has been exhausted.

These additional naval orders have been issued:

Past Assistant Surgeon George Rothganger to the naval hospital at the New York navy yard; Lieut. Commander W. F. Worthington, from inspection duty at Pittsburg to the Bureau of Steam Engineering, Washington; Lieut. W. H. Chambers, from the Marietta to inspection duty at the Carbon Steel Works, Pittsburg; Chief Engineer J. P. L. Lawrence, from the Wilmington to the Chicago.

### ARRANGING FOR THE TRIAL TRIP.

The U. S. S. Potomac sailed on Tuesday forenoon, from the navy yard, to inspect the ranges of the course over which the battleship Kearsarge will make her trial trip next Monday. The Potomac's first stopping place was at Duck Island where the government has placed a big tripod, and from there she proceeded to Cape Porpoise off which the big battleship will make the turn for the return spin to the finish. The Potomac will probably be stationed at some point along the course during the trial.

### CHANGES AT THE PORTSMOUTH SHOE FACTORY.

The following changes in the foremen at the shoe factory have taken place: William E. Storer succeeds William Frost as foreman of the cutting room; Frank Tucker succeeds William Colbeth as foreman of the lasting room; and a Mr. Berry of Haverhill takes the place of Walter Etheridge as foreman of the stock-fitting room. Other changes are reported among the employees, and much uneasiness is manifested.

### NEW \$2 CERTIFICATE.

Some of the new \$2 silver certificates have been received in this city. The notes are handsome, and, it is expected, will be difficult to counterfeit. The design differs from that of the old notes in showing more white space surrounding the head of Washington, which appears in the center.

### BISMARCK'S IRON NERVE.

Was the result of his splendid health indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25 cts. at Globe Grocery Co.

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### RYAN-MURPHY.

Largely Attended Nuptials This Morning.

Mr. Michael J. Ryan of Haverhill, Mass., wedded Miss Mary Agnes Murphy at the Church of the Immaculate Conception this morning at 8 o'clock. The nuptials were largely attended by the relatives and friends of the bride and groom.

The Rev. Father E. M. O'Callaghan performed the ceremony, and a large choir furnished music appropriate to the occasion.

Miss Emeline Hines was bridesmaid, while the groom's brother, Mr. Thomas Ryan officiated as best man. The ushers were Mr. John F. Leary of this city, Mr. John W. Murphy of Charlestown, Mass., Mr. Edward Hines and Mr. Dominic Kenney, of Haverhill.

The bride was attractively costumed in white satin, en train, trimmed with chiffon and shirred ribbon. She was veiled. Her traveling suit was of electric blue with hat to match.

The bridesmaid wore blue muslin over blue silk, with picture hat to match.

A wedding breakfast was served at the bride's home, 3 Hunking street, after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Ryan departed on the eleven o'clock train, and will enjoy a tour to Boston, New York and Washington. They will reside in Bradford, Mass.

The groom is head clerk in Simonds and Adams' dry goods store, Haverhill. The young lady whom he led to the altar has been an efficient saleswoman at George B. French's. The popularity of both was shown by the many valuable gifts which they received. A large number of invited guests were present from out of town.

### SUPREME COURT CASES.

One of the principal cases on the docket of the Strafford county supreme court, which opened at Dover on Tuesday, is the Rochester murder case, State vs. Lizzie Provencher, who is now under indictment for murder in the first degree, charged with wilfully and deliberately killing Annie M. Cox. This case will in all probability be the last jury case of the term, and undoubtedly a large number of additional jurors will be drawn by special venire.

Among the most important cases for the grand jury to consider is the embezzlement case against Harry Hough, the late treasurer of the defunct Cochecho Savings bank. The amount alleged to have been taken and which was paid back to the institution by Hough's wife is \$3500. Bank Commissioners Cummings and Hatch, both of whom are present in court, will be the most important witnesses in this case. Both these gentlemen, it is understood, are desirous of having Hough indicted and punished for his offense; but nevertheless there are many here who believe that he will not be indicted, because of the fact that the money which he is alleged to have taken has been returned. Should an indictment be found against him, however, it is hardly probable that the case will be tried this term, as Hough's counsel would undoubtedly ask for a continuance.

### BRIG.-GEN. HEYWOOD, U. S. M. C., VISITS NAVY YARD.

Brig.-Gen. Charles Heywood, U. S. M. C., commander-in-chief of the marine corps, paid an official visit to the navy yard this morning and was given a salute of eleven guns. He was received at the marine barracks with all the honors befitting his rank and he then made a thorough inspection of the buildings.

General Heywood is very popular in this city through the action he took in regard to the big parade of the heroes of Guantanamo in this city and in his ordering the marines stationed at the yard to participate.

The commander in chief of the marines is entitled to much credit for the rapid progress made by the marine corps and bringing it up to the high standard which it now holds.

### SHIFTING ENGINES BUMP.

Shortly before 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon two freight shifting engines came together at the Vaughan street crossing on the eastern of the B. & M. road, throwing several cars off the track. Engine 722 was quite badly wrecked by the collision. The local wrecking crew was soon on the scene, and the track was cleared in time so as to not delay the through passenger trains.

### AT THE NAVY YARD.

The Eagle and ferry No. 132 will come out of the dry dock on Thursday. The U. S. S. Potomac returned to the navy yard Tuesday night.

The Reina Mercedes will probably come to this navy yard after the close of the Dowsy celebration.

A steam cutter was shipped to the Indians on Wednesday.

### CITY BRIEFS.

With joy the poets now remember  
The many rhymes for "sad September."

They come, you know, in "dying ember,"  
And gallop through the still November  
To the white portals of December!

—Atlanta Constitution.

Full moon on Tuesday evening.  
Wild asters are blooming in profusion.

Harvest suppers are becoming popular.

The fall excursions are being largely attended.

A heavy fog prevails now nearly every morning.

The outlook for the social season was never brighter.

This appears to be Hon. Frank Jones' week to entertain.

Jack Frost is getting ready to give the leaves a call down.

The freshman class at Dartmouth college numbers 195 students.

Apple blossoms are reported in some orchards, a sign of a warm fall.

The farmers are exceedingly busy just now harvesting their crops.

Wanted—At once, two millinery apprentices. Address P. O. Box 1213.

The tug Hamilton A. Mathes towed a barge, coal laden, to Dover on Tuesday.

Conner, photographer and druggist, formerly Nickerson's, No. 1 Congress street.

It will be well for those looking for good seats at Music hall this week to buy early.

The tug Iva towed a two-masted schooner in ballast, down from Exeter on Tuesday.

No cider this fall and the farmers are pressing out wine from the grapes and elderberries.

The Farragut house and Sea View at Rye beach are still open with a good list of guests.

Yesterday was the last day for the service of writs returnable at the October term of court.

The "S. G." Louder is made of the choicest stock and is the best ten cent cigar in the market.

A number of the teachers of this city will attend the teachers' institute in Laconia next month.

Old smokers and new beginners pronounce Dowd's Honest Ten Cigar the finest brand on the market.

Western apples have begun to come into the market. There are next to none in this region this season.

Rubber leads become very popular and John G. Mott is fitting out the local public with an excellent article.

The board of railroad commissioners have granted the petition of the Boston & Maine railroad to do away with the Towle crossing at Hampton.

George Gilmore will represent General Grant council at the state meeting of the Junior Order of American Mechanics at Portsmouth.—Exeter Gazette.

It is quite a common sight these days to see some modest hunter returning from a day's inglorious hunt, loping up a back street, with his gun under his arm, and no game in the other hand.

H. W. Seavey of Portsmouth is building a new stable in connection with the house owned by him at the corner of Silver and Atkinson streets, this city. When completed the residence will be occupied by Dr. Stephen Young.—Dover Republican.

The contract for the construction of the electric light and power building at the Portsmouth navy yard has been awarded to Mead, Mason & Co., who submitted a bid of \$29,870.—Concord Monitor.

New Hampshire money winners on the grand circuit this season were: Kingwood, \$8,611; Idolita, \$7,000; Frank Bogash, 2,525; Who Is It, \$1,750; Tomboy, \$1,680; Alcidaia, \$737; Evoluta, \$450; Colleen, \$300; Loma, \$150; D. L., \$100.

Portsmouth Coon club members speak in the highest praise of the many courtesies shown them by Col. F. O. Wallace of Laconia on the occasion of the recent banquet. He was extremely generous in his hospitality, entertaining many of the Coons at his place in that city. Nothing was too good for his guests.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Boston & Maine railroad will be held in the city hall at Lawrence today, at 10:30 o'clock, in the forenoon. Among other items, the stockholders will be asked to approve the purchase of the Portland, Saco & Portsmouth railroad and the Portland & Rochester railroad.

Said a business man on the street this morning who refused to be quoted: "I think that business is going to be much better from now on, and I expect to make some money in the next two or three years, which is more than I have done in the last two or three. I know that some of these big merchants have been pocketing a loss right along and a heavy one, but they have kept still about it. However, the tide has turned, in my estimation, and I expect to see a great improvement here in town."

## NEWSY GLEANINGS FROM OUR SUBURBAN TOWNS.

### NEWFIELDS.

NEWFIELDS, Sept. 20.  
Daniel G. Neal, one of the town's most respected and prominent citizens, died at his home on the Piscataqua road about 9 o'clock yesterday morning.

He has for a long period been impaired in health, Bright's disease being the cause of long suffering and terminating in death yesterday morning. Since Wednesday of last week he has been in an unconscious state and death had been momentarily expected.

Mr. Neal has been a leading man in local politics, holding many important offices.

For many years he was a member of the board of selectmen and represented the town at the legislature in the early 70s.

He is survived by a wife. Funeral services will be held Friday at his late residence.

### SOUTH ELIOT.

SOUTH ELIOT, Sept. 19th.  
Dr. Edwin Dixon, wife and two children of New York city, who have been visiting in town for several weeks, returned home last Thursday.

W. E. Spincey, who has been visiting in Chelsea, Mass., arrived home last Saturday.

Albert Nowell took a large barge party to the Rochester fair on Wednesday last.

Joseph Wherren of Waltham, Mass., who is foreman of a gang of workmen on the Fitchburg railroad, passed Sunday with his father, Daniel Wherren of Boit Hill.

Mrs. John S. Evans of Portsmouth was the guest of relatives in town on Saturday last.

Fred Huntress, who has been on a week's vacation which he has passed in town, returned to his work in Somersworth on Monday last.

Mrs. Margaret Spincey was the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Colby in Portsmouth on Thursday.

Quite a large delegation from this town took in the excursion to the Welch today.

Richard Renick is engaged in putting lathern windows on his residence.

Chas. Rogers has just had a handsome piazza placed on his house.

BOILING ROCK.

### DOVER POINT.

DOVER POINT, Sept. 19.  
The schooner Hattie Lewis, Clark, with 45,000 brick from Storage and Henderson's yard sailed for Boston Monday.

During the month of August the draw at the bridge here was opened 94 times. The total number of vessels passing through was as follows: Steamers, 74; gondolas, 47; schooners, 9; and barges, 8.

E. G. Gage shipped a carload of 100,000 brick to Beverly, Mass., last night.

The schooner Wilson and Willard, Capt. Adderton, arrived from Boston, light, yesterday and passed up the river to load at George W. Ford's yard.

Moraug and Henderson are burning a kiln of 500,000 brick at their yard on the banks of the Bellamy this week.

Joseph Libbey received six carloads of wood for his brick yard last week.

John E. Pinckham is burning a brick kiln of 15 arches this week.

The steamer Iva towed the schooner Herman Kimball, Capt. Lane, with 190 tons of coal up to Exeter this morning.

The Gondola Beaver, Capt. Coleman, with 12 cords of wood for Joseph Libbey's yard passed up river yesterday.

Barze No. 10, of the P. N. Co. fleet, is loading at Joseph Libbey's yard.

Mrs. E. M. Jones, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Drew of Newington for a short time past returned to her home at Roxbury, Mass., this morning.

The Misses Katie Spring and Annie Leane of Manchester, who have been the guests of Miss Mary Longhlin at the Piscataqua house during the past week, have returned home.

Mrs. John Yarwood of Portsmouth, who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Ira F. Pinkham for several days, has returned home.

Fred Moraug, who has been quite sick with the jaundice, is reported as being somewhat better today.

Mrs. Albert Nutter and children of Chelsea, who have been rusticiating at the Nutter farm, Newington, for several weeks past, have returned home.

John Mathes, the well known brick-maker of Eliot, was here yesterday on business.

Miss Gertrude Howland of Haverhill is the guest of friends here at the Point.

Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott and daughter Sadie of Dover were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Card last Sunday.

Mrs. Caroline W. Beane, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Mary E. Noves of Newington for the past six weeks, returned to her home at Jamaica Plain last week.

### PERSONALS.

George Tarlton of Newfields was in town today on business.

Arthur Freeman has been quite ill at his home on Columbia street for a number of days, but is now improving.

Mrs. John Yarwood, who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Ira F. Pinkham, at Dover, for a few days, has returned home.

John Holland, 23, and William Zambelli left this afternoon for New York, intending to stay in the metropolis until after the Dowsy reception.

Brig. Gen. Charles Haywood, colonel commandant of the U. S. Marine corps, is at the navy yard on a brief visit. The officer arrived at 11 o'clock and was greeted with a fitting salute by the yard battery.

Lawrence B. Bilbrack, who has become a full-fledged telegraph operator after several weeks of tutelage by Manager Wallace of the depot office here, has secured a position in Raymond and will tap out dots and dashes in the railroad office up there.

E. A. Mitchell, for months in charge of the Exeter Gazette printing office, left its employ last Saturday evening, and severed his connection with the Exeter Opera house at the same time. He has made no announcement of his plans but intends to stay in Exeter for the present, it is understood. The best wishes of his Exeter friends will follow him wherever he may go.—Exeter Gazette.

### THEATRICAL NOTES.

The Stowaway was put on at Music hall this afternoon. Tonight it will be The Burglar.

The Robinsons Comic opera company is at Portland this week.

Hoyt's A Temperance Town comes to Exeter, Oct. 14.

The Empire Stock people made a great hit at the Wentworth last night, with their impromptu parlor concert.

Seats for Thatcher's minstrels will be put on sale tomorrow.

### VOLCANIC ERUPTIONS.

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STOLE 300 POUNDS OF COPPER.

Sometime during Monday night unknown parties took three hundred pounds of copper from the Yacht Alice which was alongside the navy yard. The metal belonged to Contractor Roa gun and he had it prepared to ship to Boston.

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